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## PEACE CONFERENCE IS POSTPONED

### 30 THOUSAND DISCHARGED DAILY

(By Associated Press)  
Washington, Dec. 21.—With a total of 155,562 men discharged from the army during the week ending Dec. 14 Gen. March announced today the War Department had about reached the average of 30,000 discharges daily for which the demobilization plans call. Gen. Pershing has reported that 3210 American prisoners of war were repatriated up to Dec. 16th. Of those 2653 came through Switzerland, 324 passed through the American front line, 120 went through Holland and 113 through Denmark.

### GERMAN NAT. ASSEMBLY TO MEET

(By Associated Press)  
Munich, Dec. 21.—Dr. Luppe, Mayor of Frankfurt on the Main, announces that the German National Assembly will meet there. He has gone to Berlin to make arrangements.

### PLEADS GUILTY TO FORGING \$130,000 NOTES

(By Associated Press)  
Portland, Me., Dec. 21.—Ludwell L. Howison, a young investment broker and for a number of years private secretary to the late Fred E. Richards, President of an insurance company located here, waived examination and pleaded guilty when arraigned in the municipal court today on a charge of forging Mr. Richards' name as an endorsement to his own note for amounts aggregated \$132,000. He was held in \$25,000 for the grand jury and was committed to jail until bail is furnished.

### GREAT JESUIT EDUCATOR DEAD

(By Associated Press)  
St. Louis, Dec. 21.—The Reverend Joseph Grinnelsman, former President of St. Louis University and a widely known Jesuit educator died yesterday of paralysis. He was 65 years old.

## British Elections and Other Reasons Given for Change in Date to February —Hindenberg Has Organized New National Army—Claim German Army Will Be Stronger Than Ever

### 174 TANK STEAMERS RELEASED

(By Associated Press)  
New York, Dec. 21.—Plans for the prompt release from government requisition of a part of the fleet of 174 tank steamships, 13 of them Pacific coast vessels, with an approximate aggregate tonnage of 1,400,000 dead weight tons were announced here today by the U. S. Shipping Board. Only those required for supplying the army and navy of the United States with fuel oil will be retained by the government.

### NEW FOREIGN MINISTER FOR GERMANY

(By Associated Press)  
Copenhagen, Dec. 21.—Count Von Brockdorff Rantzau, German Minister to Denmark, has been appointed Foreign Minister of Germany in succession to Dr. W. S. Solf according to reports from Berlin.

Paris, Dec. 21.—The preliminary peace conference at Versailles has been postponed until the beginning of February, at the earliest. It is rumored in Paris. This postponement is due, it is claimed, to changes in plans because of President Wilson's visit to England and the reconstruction of the British cabinet which will occupy Premier Lloyd George as soon as the result of the election is announced on Dec. 28th. Preliminary exchanges which were to begin in Paris today according to original plans have also been deferred.

### GOVERNMENT WILL NOT TAKE OVER HARBOR

(By Associated Press)  
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### TO GIVE BASKET DINNERS

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London, Dec. 21.—The German government has accepted Field Marshal Von Hindenburg's plan to form a people's guard of national army according to a Copenhagen dispatch. It is said that Germany's army under this plan will be stronger than ever. The officers have received instructions to keep the details secret. Women will be employed for auxiliary work.

REferred TO LEWIS AND ROBBINS  
We hear that one elder will near Concord turned out 40,000 gallons of apple juice the past fall. There is still some difference between our fair city and the justly celebrated Sahara Desert.—Concord Monitor.

SEND THE HERALD FOR XMAS.  
What better gift than a year's subscription to the Portsmouth Herald—the live local newspaper. It would be interesting to anyone within the state or anywhere. It would be a daily letter to a friend or relative.

### CURTIS NAMED BOSTON POLICE COMMISSIONER

(By Associated Press)  
Boston, Dec. 21.—Gov. McCall today nominated Edwin U. Curtis, a former Mayor, for Police Commissioner of Boston to succeed Stephen O'Meara, who died a week ago. Mr. Curtis has served as Assistant U. S. Treasurer and collector of customs here and was for several years a member of the Metropolitan Park Commission.

### THE WEATHER

Washington, Dec. 21.—Increasing cloudiness tonight; probably rain in Vermont; warmer in New Hampshire and Vermont. Sunday rain. Gentle to moderate winds, becoming south.

### NO INSURANCE NEEDED

The owners of merchant vessels, masters, officers and crews will not require insurance on and after Dec. 22. This was announced by the Treasury Department to all collectors of customs on Friday.

P. A. C. Calendar Jan. 1-2-3. Be jolly start the new year right. Whitman will be there with the best aggregation of musicians ever heard here.—Adv.

### PRES. WILSON'S RECEPTION IN ENGLAND

(By Associated Press)  
London, Dec. 21.—Arrangements are being made for an imposing military reception to President Wilson according to some of the newspapers. There will be a guard of honor at the station and he will be greeted by King George. The President and the King will then drive to Buckingham Palace in the royal carriage, through streets lined with troops.

### STORY OF BOMBARDMENT AT FINLAND

(By Associated Press)  
Copenhagen, Dec. 21.—While the British fleet was bombarding Bolshevik forces here Hesel on the Gulf of Finland, a Swedish fleet occupied Estonian waters. Berlin advices say that the British warships have not landed troops, but have supplied the Estonian forces with arms and ammunition.

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— AND —  
**Christmas Decorations**  
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Sunday, Dec. 22,  
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# CHRISTMAS MUSIC AT CHURCHES SUNDAY

## Protestant Churches Will Have Elaborate Musical Programs

The festival of Christmas will be observed in many of the Protestant churches on Sunday when the special musical program for the holiday will be given. At some of the churches the program is extensive and there will be special music and augmented choirs.

The Catholic and the Episcopal churches will hold the services on Christmas day which is a holiday in these churches and there will be special musical programs and services.

The following are the musical programs for Sunday:

**Court St. Christian Church.**  
Rev. Percy W. Caswell, pastor.  
Morning worship with Christmas sermon by the pastor at 10:30; Bible school session at 12; there will be special exercises in the auditorium, following the program:

Organ voluntary.  
Opening hymn by the school.  
Recitation—"Welcome."  
Prayer by the school.  
Recitation—"Eleanor Peckham Selection by Sunday School Orchestra."  
Recitation—"The Story of the Shepherds" by Miss Magnusson.  
Singing by Girls' Class.  
Recitation—"Christmas Time is Children's Time" by Miss Dancy Buckman.  
Recitation—"Because It is Christmas Time" by Miss Edith Fuller.  
Singing by Boys' Class.  
Reading—"The Christmas Service" by the pastor.  
Remarks by the pastor.  
Special offering.  
Singing by the school.  
Benediction.

The offering taken at this service will be used to buy fruit for the shut-ins on Christmas day.

Christmas Eve service meeting at 6:15, led by Mrs. Daley; evening service with good singing and short sermon by the pastor at 7:30; the mid-week prayer meeting will be omitted. A Christmas party will be held for the members of the Sunday school, Friday evening at 7:30 in the vestry.

**Universalist Church.**  
Dr. Dillingham, pastor—Services Sunday at 10:30; Christmas sermon and music; Sunday School at 12; Y. P. C. at 6:30.

**Middle St. Baptist Church.**  
Special Christmas services at 10:30 a. m. and 4 p. m.; evening service

omitted; Sunday school and men's class at noon. Following is the special music at the morning service: Organ prelude, "Christmas Morning" (Whitely); anthem, "There Were Shepherds" (J. Edgar Breck); anthem, "Calm on the Listening Ear of Night" (Harry P. Hopkins); offertory, baritone solo, "Knecht's Cawwell," "There Were Shepherds" (Frank Lynes); anthem, "The Birthday of a King" (W. H. Neidlinger).  
Program for 4 o'clock service:  
Opening Song—School.  
Responsory Reading—School.  
Supernatural and School.  
Prayer—Pastor.  
Anthem—Choir.  
Recitation—James Wilson.  
Song—No. 3—School.  
Recitation—Lewis Wilson.  
Recitation—Robert Pike.  
Song—No. 7—School.  
Recitation—Wallace Nelson, Francis.  
Hymn—Harry Caswell.  
Song—No. 9—School.  
Recitation—Elizabeth Rundell.  
Song—Primary Children.  
Recitation—Dorothy Peterson.  
Exercise—"Gifts of the Stars."  
Class of Fifteen.  
Recitation—Annie Walker.  
Song—Primary Children.  
Recitation—Edgar Walker.  
Recitation—Edith Dackham.  
Recitation—Robert Gilker.  
Song—No. 15—School.  
Recitation—Ruth Allen.  
A Word to the Children—Pastor.  
Closing Song—No. 19—School.  
Benediction—Pastor.  
Y. P. C. D. Tuesday evening at 7:45; prayer meeting Friday evening at 7:45; Christmas entertainment for Primary and Junior departments, Thursday at 3:00 in the chapel; for Intermediate and Senior, Wednesday evening, Jan. 1.

**First Methodist Episcopal Church.**  
Rev. S. Tuttle, minister—10:30; Divine worship; sermon by the pastor. "The Gift of the Stars"; Sunday school at 12; Epworth League, 6:30; Christmas cantata, 7:30, "The Gift of God" (D. S. Lorenz).  
Christmas music, morning service: Anthem, "Holy Light" (Adolph Adam); Anthem, "Star of the Orient" (Shelley); Anthem, "Bethlehem" (D. S. Lorenz).  
Evening service: A Christmas Cantata, "The Gift of God" (D. S. Lorenz).

Organ Selections—Christmas offertory (Benedict); Pastoral in E (Grieg); postlude, Handel's Messiah. The Multitude of Angels—Oratorio of the Intercession.  
Benediction—Pastor.  
Allegro in C—Rossini.

**St. John's Parish Church.**  
Fourth Sunday in Advent—Holy Communion, 8 a. m.; morning prayer, 10:30; Sunday school, 12 m.; evening song, 7:30 p. m.  
Christmas Day—First evening, 11:30 p. m., Dec. 24; Holy Communion, midnight; Holy Communion, 8 a. m.; morning prayer, 10 a. m.; Holy Eucharist, 10:30 a. m.

**Advent Christian Church.**  
Rev. F. Barnes, pastor—10:30 a. m. Preaching by the pastor. Subject: "From Poverty to Riches and From a Stable to a Throne, or the Exaltation of Jesus Christ"; 12 m. Sunday school; 7:15 p. m. special song service, singing for everybody, solo by Mr. W. E. Piper, and "Christmas music." A straightforward, wholehearted Evangelistic service. Mr. Fred H. Tippet will speak on his experience in slum work; prayer meetings Tuesday and Friday, 7:30 p. m.

**First Church of Christ, Scientist.**  
2 Market Street—Sunday morning at 10:45 and Wednesday evening at 7:45. Subject: "Is the Universe, including Man, Evolved by Atomic Forces?" Sunday school at 11:50.

**North Congregational Church.**  
Morning worship at 10:30 with preaching by the pastor, service appropriate to the Christmas season. Evening service at 7:30, "The Pilgrim Learning the Land of His Fathers," illustrated by the stereopticon; Sunday school in the chapel at the noon hour; Young People's meeting in the parish house at 6:30; the Christmas festival of the Sunday school will be held in the chapel on Friday evening.  
Christmas music Sunday morning: Prelude, "Andante Tranquillo" (De Beriot); organ and violin; carol, "Birthday of a King" (Neidlinger); anthem, "Behold Thy Servant" (Harold); offertory, "Romance in G major" (Goen); solo, "The Chimes of Christmas Morn" (Dressler); anthem, "O Zion that Bringest Good Tidings" (Foot); postlude, Allegro-Maestoso (De Beriot).

**Christ Church—The Peace Church.**  
Fourth Sunday in Advent—Holy Eucharist, 7:30; procession, Holy Eucharist and sermon, 10:30; Sunday school and men's Bible class; service and address by Rev. Gavia, 10:30 and 4 p. m.; evening song and sermon by Rev. Gavia, 7:30 p. m.  
The services on Christmas day will be as follows: Holy Eucharist, 6:30 and 7:30 a. m. and at 10:30, solemn procession, Missa Cantata and sermon.

**Pearl St. People's Baptist Church.**  
Rev. J. R. Randolph, pastor—Preaching at 11 a. m., subject: "Christ's Advent in the Flesh"; Sunday school at 12; Christian Endeavor at 7:30 p. m.; at 8 o'clock special Christmas service with sermon by the pastor on the "Result of Christ's Coming." The following music will be rendered by a chorus choir: Anthem, "There Were Shepherds" (Ashford); "The Wise Men Saw a Thousand Stars" (Stong); obligato solo, "The Song the Angels Sing" (Wilson); Mrs. Countess. The Sunday school will hold their Christmas concert and tree in the vestry Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock. Prayer meeting Friday evening at 8.

**Unitarian Church.**  
Christmas Sunday—Morning service at 10:30, sermon by Rev. Alfred Gooding; the choir will render: "The Morning Glory," a Christmas cantata by Fred W. Peace; prelude, "Hosannah"; Chorus Magnus (Du Bois); "The Morning Glory" (Prophecy).  
Introduction—Organ.  
Abraham Foreman—Recitation and cantata solo.  
There Shall Come a Star—Recitation by tenor.  
Trust Ye in the Lord Jehovah—Quartet.  
How Beautiful Are the Feet of Him!—Soprano Solo.  
Arise, Shine, for Thy Light Is Come—Quartet.  
Fulfillment.  
The Shining of the Star (Intermezzo)—Organ.  
The Angel Gabriel—Bass.  
And the Angel Said—Soprano.  
He Shall Be Great—Quartet.  
The True Light—Tenor Solo.  
And It Came to Pass—Contralto.  
Let Us Now Go—Soprano and Contralto to duet.  
And the Shepherds Returned—Chorus.  
This Is He—Quartet.  
Sleep, Holy Babe—Soprano solo and Quartet.  
Offertory—Christmas Pastoral.

**FUNERAL NOTICE**  
The funeral of Captain T. Burton Hoyt will be held from the Congregational church at Kittery Point Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Friends invited.

## "SYRUP OF FIGS" CHILD'S LAXATIVE

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## KITTERY

**North Kittery Methodist Church.**  
Rev. B. P. Wentworth, pastor.  
10:45 a. m. Morning worship. Sermon "As Never Before."  
12 m. Sunday school. Christmas rehearsal followed by a short lantern lecture.  
7:30 p. m. Praise and prayer service. Lantern lecture on "The Land of the Que."

**Government Street Methodist Church.**  
Rev. John P. Jenner, pastor.  
10:00 Church school.  
11:00 Morning worship with Christmas sermon. Special music by Frank S. Stapleton, U. S. M. C.  
6:00 Vespers Subject, "The Second Verse of Jesus." Special music.  
8:00 Epworth League. Topic, "Peace on Earth."  
This is a Christmas Sunday and all are cordially invited to attend.

**Second Christian Church.**  
Rev. Carl L. Nichols, pastor.  
10:30 Morning worship. Text: Luke 1:10-11. "And the angel said unto them, Fear not; for behold I bring you good tidings of great joy, which shall be to all people. For unto you is born this day in the city of David a Saviour, which is Christ, the Lord."  
11:15 Sunday school.  
6:00 Christian Endeavor meeting.  
7:00 Service of song.  
All are cordially invited to these services.

Miss Eleanor Lovell is assisting at the local postoffice during the holiday rush.  
Every woman needs money for Christmas. Join our Christmas Club.  
Adv.  
Miss Arvilla M. Shaw of Central street visited Mrs. Henry Livermore of Elliot on Friday afternoon.  
Exercises and Christmas trees were enjoyed by the pupils of the Wentworth school on Friday.  
Freemont Allen of North Herwick was a visitor in town on Friday.  
Mrs. Mae Sweet left Friday for her daughter's home in Wakefield, Mass.  
Harry Tobey is soon to move his family from Pine Street to the Keene house on Government street.  
Christmas exercises and trees were held at the Austin school on Friday.  
Arthur H. Baker has resumed his duties on the navy yard after an illness.  
Miss Annie Hanscom of Dover has been the recent guest of relatives here.  
Mrs. Howard Langdon is restricted to her home on Central street by illness.  
Frapp Academy closed Friday for a week's recess.  
The Amateur club was pleasantly entertained on Friday evening by Miss Bernice Farrington of Echo street.  
The "Merry Eight" had a Christmas party on Friday evening at the home of Miss Dorothy Williams of Love Lane.  
Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Schwarz have moved from Walker street to Portsmouth.  
Mrs. Howard C. Moody and little son Robert of Otis avenue were visitors in South Elliot on Friday.  
Mrs. Willard C. Locke and children

of Woodford, Me., are passing the holidays with relatives here.  
Mrs. Allen Freeman of Portsmouth visited relatives here on Friday.  
Joseph Langdon of the Langdon road is passing a week in Boston.  
Mrs. Charles Drake of South Elliot was calling on friends here on Friday.  
WANTER—Wood to machine saw.  
W. S. McKredge, Kittery, Me. Tel. 209-J. Adv.

## KITTERY POINT

**First Congregational Church.**  
11 a. m. Morning worship. Rev. John A. Waterworth, minister. "A Christmas sermon on Giving and Receiving."  
12:15 Sunday school.

**Free Baptist Church.**  
10:45 Morning service. Rev. James McKenzle, pastor.  
12 Sunday school.  
7 Evening service.

**First Christian Church.**  
12:30 Sunday school.  
2 Afternoon service. Rev. Miles Park pastor.  
7 Evening service.

Carl Boyer, who enlisted in the U. S. Marines and who has been stationed at Quantico, Va., is expected at his home here for Christmas.  
Mr. George Gunnison has been called to South Framingham, Mass., by the death of his sister, Mrs. Eliza A. Warrick.  
Mrs. Clarence Paul and Mrs. Haven Paul of Portsmouth were visitors in town on Friday afternoon.

Mrs. Joseph McDonald of the Kittery navy yard was the guest of Mrs. W. H. Tobey on Friday.  
Insurance Policy Premiums coming due next winter? Join the Christmas Club—Adv.  
Mr. and Mrs. Irving Ellis and young son have gone to Brattleboro, Vt. Mr. Ellis was employed at the navy yard and occupied the residence of Horace Seaward.

The schools in town closed on Friday afternoon for the holiday with appropriate Christmas exercises in an different rooms, followed by Christmas trees, when each child was surrounded with gifts from teachers and scholars. Following is the program given in Miss Paul's room:

Recitation—School.  
Recitation—Clifton Trevelton.  
Merry Christmas—Jean Waldron.  
A Note from Santa—Norman Libby.  
A Good Mother—Anna P. Clark.  
Recitation—John Fair.  
Song of the Angels—Isabel Grace.  
Dialogue, "Blanche"—Finchey, "Anna."  
Clark, Grace Seeger, Emma Wilson.  
Aldine Blake, Ellen Frisbee, Isabel Grace, Ruth Pruett, Jean Waldron, Helen Sawyer.  
A Prayer—Anna P. Clark.  
Recitation—Russell W. Moore.  
Song—School.  
Santa Claus' Call—Aldine Blake.  
Story—"The Little Boy Who Tended the Sheep"—Ruth Pruett.  
Recitation—Sherman B. Clark.  
Recitation—Grace Seeger.  
What Will He Do?—Niles Pinkham.  
Doing My Bit—Velma Bray.  
Present for Mama—Chas. Witham.  
Gifts for the Poor—Chas. Anderson.  
Recitation—Lewellyn Bridges.  
Christmas—Anna P. Clark.  
Christmas Greetings—Guy Storck.  
O Little Town of Bethlehem—Theodore Waldron.  
December—Wellington Gratto.  
Why It Is Short—Wendell Tobey.  
The Reason Why—Albert Caverio.  
Ring Out O Chimes of Christmas—Ruth Pruett.  
The teacher served ice cream cones, cake and corn balls to the pupils.  
Give your sweetheart a Real Christmas present. Join the Christmas Club—Adv.

## SPECIALS THIS WEEK

Lamb Chops ..... 40¢  
Fore Spring Lamb ..... 25¢  
Legs Spring Lamb ..... 35¢  
Hamburger steak ..... 30¢  
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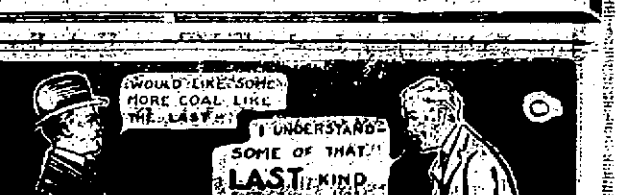
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# KING GEORGE TO BE HOST OF PRES. WILSON

**Will Give a Big Banquet Dec 27 in His Honor—Great Britain Denies That He Comes To Talk Russian Affairs**

(By Associated Press) London, Dec. 20.—King George will give a banquet at Buckingham Palace on Dec. 27, in honor of the visit of President Wilson. The presence of President Wilson as an overnight guest at the palace will be the first President who has ever been a guest at the palace.

Wilson was coming to England to consult about the Russian situation, was unwarranted. The visit is one of courtesy and not political, although it is expected that there will be informal conferences. From well informed sources it is learned that Great Britain has not reinforced their present army in Russia and they will not do anything until after the conference.

## PRESIDENT CONFIDENT OF PEACE CONGRESS

(By Associated Press) Paris, Dec. 20.—"I am confident that the big council of statesmen of the world will be able to reach a just and reasonable solution of the problems that will be presented to them and in this way, the gratitude of the world for the critical and necessary service which it will have rendered," said President Wilson in an interview today referring to the coming peace conference.

Paris, Dec. 20.—President Wilson today (Friday) was crowded with conferences with officials and visits and in making preparations for his visit to the American headquarters and then on to England after Christmas. The President tonight made a visit to King Victor Emmanuel of Italy.

## NEW NATIONAL PRESIDENT VISITS BOSTON

(By Associated Press) Boston, Dec. 20.—John A. Hyatt paid his first visit to Boston as president of the National League today. He made an inspection of the National League headquarters here and said that he would not interfere in the domestic affairs of the club as long as they did not affect the entire league.

## BRITISH FLEET TO VISIT THIS COUNTRY

(By Associated Press) London, Dec. 20.—The British Admiralty favors the visit of Admiral Sir David Beatty, and the grand squadron, to the United States. The date has not been set, but it will follow the settlement of the peace conference and then the fleet will visit the British colonies.

## BERLIN HAS ANOTHER ELECTION

Berlin, Dec. 20.—The election of a new executive control committee has been completed. The socialists are largely in the majority and it gives the cabinet the support which it was lacking.

## FORGED NOTES FOR \$132,000

(By Associated Press) Portland, Me., Dec. 20.—Lutwell L. Howland, who according to County Attorney Beatty, has confessed to forgery of the endorsements of the late Fred Richards, the president of the Maine Mutual Life Insurance Company, to notes aggregating \$132,000, was arrested here today. He furnished \$15,000 bail for a hearing tomorrow. The County Attorney said that he would waive examination and plea, guilty, the was secretary to Mr. Richards and his paper is in about all of the banks of the city.

## MAY REDUCE PRICE OF FLOUR

Washington, Dec. 20.—Cancellation of all rules and regulations regarding the milling of flour, which the millers say will mean a reduction in price of flour, was announced by the Food Administrator this evening. The existing orders regarding the unfair competition and profiteering will be maintained and strictly enforced.

## NOT GUILTY OF MURDER

Elkton, Maryland, Dec. 20.—C. Harvey Howard Johnson was today acquitted of the charge of murder of Major William R. King, of Brooklyn, supervising engineer of the proving ground here.

**PRECIOUS TIME WASTED**  
It isn't the dollar you waste on inferior music lessons that matters, but the precious time of your child. You can somehow get other dollars, but the time wasted is gone forever. The best is none too good in music. Adv. **FATHE KURTZ**

## FREE USE OF Y. M. C. A. FOR 3 MONTHS

Free access to all Y. M. C. A. privileges for a period of three months was extended to all Americans in uniform, returning from overseas or from home training camps, in a statement issued yesterday by Dr. John R. Mott, chief executive of the Y. M. C. A. in America. To the hundreds of thousands of soldiers, marines and sailors who have learned to appreciate the Y. M. C. A. while in the service, this means the continuance of a contact with improving conditions which the young men began after they donned the American uniform.

Where the Y. M. C. A. has provided the one warm gathering place for the fighters in cold weather and at all times a cheery club, theatre, school, library, writing room and church, the big city Y. M. C. A. buildings will afford all these, together with their swimming pools, gymnasiums and restaurants for the boys who come back. Loneliness was the greatest evil which the Y. M. C. A. combated overseas, and the city Y. M. C. A. buildings will perform the same service for young men, who are without cozy home surroundings and all free.

"We welcome all the brave young men, returning from overseas or from home confinements, and are calling upon all the Y. M. C. A.s to place freely at their disposal their full membership privileges for three months," said Dr. Mott. "This should be of greatest benefit especially to the men reading, hunting themselves to civilian life. The Y. M. C. A.s one object is to render service to assure those men that the Red Triangle is their friend in peace as it was in war."

## FOUR NEGROES LYNCHED BY MISS. MOB

(By Associated Press) Mobile, Ala., Dec. 20.—Four negroes, two of them women, who were under arrest in connection with the murder of Dr. E. L. Johnston, here last week, were taken from the jail at Shubuta, Miss., tonight and lynched, according to information reaching this city. All four are reported to have been strung up to the girders of a bridge.

## JAP TO CONTROL CHINESE FINANCE

(By Associated Press) Washington, Dec. 20.—Information that Baron Saisapont, one of the leading financial men in Japan, has been appointed the financial advisor of China, has been received from Ambassador Morris. He announced that he would change the present currency system to a gold basis.

## TO HOLD FORUM THIS WINTER

At a meeting of the Metal Trade Council on Friday evening it was voted to send communications to the Secretary of the Navy, the Senators and Representatives of this state, requesting that ships be sent to the navy yard for repairs after the review.

A committee was also appointed to arrange for a forum to be held every Sunday during the winter months and to engage prominent speakers for these meetings.

## Building Material For Sale

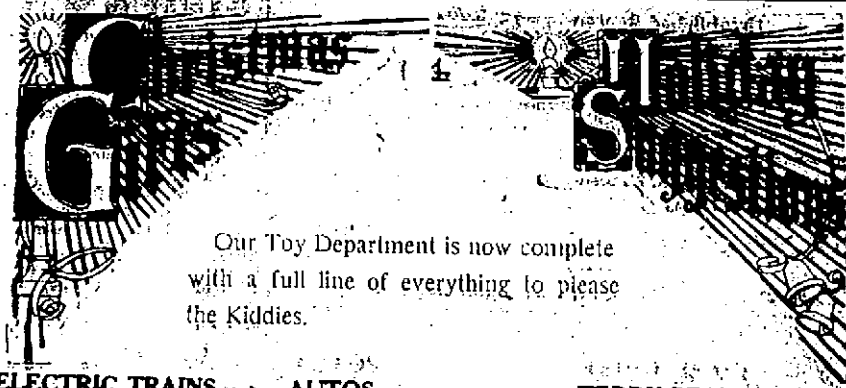
The United States Shipping Board, Emergency Fleet Corporation, will receive sealed bids for the purchase from it of all or any part of the following described material located at Atlantic Heights, Portsmouth, N. H.

Air Compressors and Jackhammers, Blacksmith Anvils, Forges and Tools, and All Kinds of Contractors' Equipment, Office Furniture, Desks, Adding Machines, File Cabinets, Etc., Etc.  
8 in. Terra Cotta Tile, 20,500 pieces.  
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Yellow Pine Flooring, 42,000 B. M.  
C. I. Pipe and Sewer Pipe, 350 pieces.  
Electrical Material (schedule furnished upon application).  
Lumber in Temporary Buildings, 200,000 B. M.  
Doors, Windows, Exterior and Interior Trim (schedule furnished upon application).  
Flue Lining, 600 pieces 8 1/2 x 13 in., 600 pieces 8 1/2 x 8 1/2 in.  
Other odd lots of Building Material.

The above materials may be inspected by applying to the National Engineering Corporation at Atlantic Heights, Portsmouth, N. H.

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| <b>DOLL TRUNKS</b>       | <b>KIDDIE KARS</b>      | <b>SLEDS</b>        |
| <b>CRADLES</b>           | <b>SCOOT KARS</b>       | <b>IRON TOYS</b>    |
| <b>BEDS</b>              | <b>ROCKING HORSES</b>   | <b>DRUMS</b>        |
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We have a large assortment of CHOCOLATES in fancy boxes. We are still selling Saturdays, 60c Chocolates for 49c.

## Portsmouth News Agency

JOIN THE RED CROSS!

ers in the trade are attending, with H. C. Ives, president of Bridgeport, as chairman, who are unable to leave their homes.

An officer of the Boston & Maine railroad police arrived here on Friday evening and he will take back with him today John O'Brien, the lumberjack who pulled a gun on the train on Thursday night and who was taken off when he reached this city. He will be tried in one of the Massachusetts courts.

Officer Call had the two Shady boys from Bath, Me., who were arrested here the first of the week for the same offense, arraigned in the Chelsea courts on Friday and they pleaded guilty and were held for the upper court. The home reputation of these two young men is reported as very poor.

A class from the Farragut school visited city hall on Friday forenoon and sang Christmas carols at the Superintendent of Schools' office and in the presence of the other departments. The children sang remarkably well and they were assisted by three boys who played the violin.

During the afternoon the same class went to the Old Ladies' Home and sang for them.

CRIPPLED SOLDIERS MAY MAKE TOYS

New York, Dec. 20.—Thousands of crippled soldiers would be offered employment making toys, it has been announced at the annual convention of the Toy Manufacturers of America. More than 100 of the largest producers of toys were present.

Materials with which toys may be made will be sent to crippled soldiers who are unable to leave their homes.

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Portsmouth, N. H., Saturday, December 21, 1918.

## What the Red Flag Means.

Americans who are encouraging the entering wedge of State Socialism in our country and those who consciously or unconsciously give aid and comfort to the Red-Flag propaganda in Europe may learn what it all means when carried to its logical conclusion by noting the following items taken chiefly from the comment of an eminent American editor recently returned from abroad.

European Russia this coming winter will be the world's most awful graveyard.

Famine is not a possibility, it is a certainty. It is today an actuality. Pestilence is reaping the first crop of a gigantic harvest.

The working people are simply predestined victims of hunger and disease. Productive labor has been annihilated and no nation can live without it.

All financial system has vanished. Debts have been repudiated, banks abolished, and the gold reserve of the nation largely stolen.

Commerce, even from the standpoint of 1917, does not exist.

The available fuel supply has largely disappeared. The oil fields still unburned are not working. The coal mines have been flooded.

Railroad tracks and rolling stock are rapidly going to pieces. A few railroads are operating, but as private concerns in the hands of enterprising bandits. Each station has its own tariff for passengers and freight payable in the currency of that particular place.

Manufacturing is at a standstill—nine-tenths of the factories have been shut down. Many are heaps of ruins, destroyed by the Bolsheviks.

Cotton fabricating is practically a memory—large quantities of cotton were burned, because it was believed to have belonged to the banks.

It is estimated that only 20 per cent of the tillable lands of European Russia were put into crops this year. Many large agricultural estates have been burned or destroyed. Live stock and implements of prosperous farmers were stolen and divided among the looters.

Of the 2,000,000 population of Petrograd before the war, 1,500,000 have disappeared. The city looks dreary, desolate. Bolshevik soldiers and their families are living in the deserted homes of the well to do. Hotels, restaurants, cafes, offices are closed. The middle classes are excluded from public eating places and are starving by thousands. Many well-known persons have been shot or starved to death. In addition to enduring the terrible famine conditions the Russian people must submit to a reign of violence, brutality and murder at the hands of the armed minority—and all in the name of the freedom of the masses, through the socialistic state.

Our lesson is obvious and so is our duty. The Russian people sacrificed over 3,000,000 of their men in holding several German armies off of France during the first two years of the war. Why then are we and the Allies not on our way in large forces to rescue these helpless millions of Russians from the horrible tortures they are now enduring?

## "The Way of the Transgressor Is Hard."

It is a sad thing that Germany is in need of food.

But a nation that has caused the death of 11,100,000 men and the maiming, crippling and wrecking of other millions of men and of bringing grief, hunger, pain and death to a vast multitude of inoffensive women, children and aged people, and that has destroyed churches, homes, and other property which has taken the toll of centuries to accumulate, must expect retribution. If Germany is now to suffer some of the agony she has caused others, if she is to hunger and even welter in her own blood through the Red Terror—so be it. Her victims must be fed first.

## SING CAROLS AT THE HOSPITAL

The kindly and thoughtful act of 15 school children from the Ferris school on Friday was much appreciated by the patients and management of the Portsmouth hospital where these children under the direction of Miss Butler gathered and sang several Christmas carols. The young voices were very pleasing and each selection appropriate and finely rendered.

TO LET—Blacksmith shop and tools, electric blower and lights. Apply N. P. Ordway, Greenland, N. H. in 21, 1w.

If its local news, you will find it in the Herald every day.

## NOTICE TO RETAIL CLERKS

There will be a meeting of the Retail Clerks' Union held at Seaboard hall, 33 Congress St., p. m. Sunday. If you are interested in bettering your conditions attend this meeting. Come and hear what is to be offered.

Per order, MORRIS HURD, President.

Adv.

TO LET—For one or two gentlemen, a furnished room with modern improvements. Apply 20 Tanner Street, in 21, 1w.

Send in pictures and sketches of your soldier or sailor lad for the Herald's picture gallery.

## SEPARATION OF STATE & CHURCH OPPOSED

(By Associated Press)

Munich, Dec. 21.—Catholic Bishops under the leadership of Archbishop Faulhaber of the diocese of Wurzburg have protested formally against the separation of the church and state and the abolition of religious oversight of schools. The protest terms the move as "a one-sided breach of the right of the church and a panicky measure of force by the temporary government against which the people must guard as it threatens the future."

## LETTER FROM OVER THERE

Sergeant Clarence H. Holt, who sailed for France last May and is serving with the National Army, writes home that he is safe and well after some startling experiences over there. Sergeant Holt is a well-known local musician. As a young boy he played in a local band and later joined the 117th Infantry band of Chattanooga, Tenn. He was several years in the service in Cuba and also served on the Mexican border for a year. He was mustered out of the Federal service in the summer of 1915 but was recalled to active duty in March 1918.

The letter, which was received this week from overseas by his father, Harrison O. Holt of High Street, is as follows:

Honorable Mr. Holt, Nov. 25, 1918.

Dear Dad:

"As they have lifted the lid on the censorship a little, and given us the opportunity to write you describing some of the places we have been, I will take advantage and try to tell you some of the experiences I have had and the things I have seen since I have been here."

"First—we landed in England about fifteen days after I left you in New York, but we did not stop there overnight and the next morning we landed at Calais, France. There we went to what was called a rest camp (but I think they made a mistake when they named it). After a few days there, which was spent in straightening out our equipment, we were sent to a small place in the country, called Norlecourt; from there we went to the Ypres front in Belgium, and there began the excitement. We arrived there on July 4th and I mean it was some celebration to, although after what I have since seen it looked rather small."

"We were there about seven weeks in all and on an average of three nights a week Fritz's (or Jerry's) as we call him) aeroplanes came over and bombed all around us, and shelled us nearly every night, but we soon got used to that, and a shell had to hit pretty close to make us pay attention, for they were about as common as fire crackers on Fourth of July, and we soon became accustomed to them."

"Well they had a strong point down in France called the Hindenburg line, so they sent us down there, accompanied by a N. Y. Division to see what we could do. I guess that you have read all of that in papers, and it is something that it would be impossible for me to describe with pen, but when I get back I can certainly tell you some very exciting experiences that I had, for that is where the real fun began. Although I am only a musician in the band, I was in many places which I do not care to repeat, although now that I am through them I would not take anything for the experience. I have had and the things I have seen. You cannot begin to realize what it is until you have been through it. When I get back I will be able to describe it a lot better than I can write about it, so I will save it until then."

"We are now in a very good town and are having our regular routine, about the same as we have in peace times back home, and patiently waiting for the welcome words 'Homeward Bound' to come. I don't think they can come too quick to please the majority of the boys, and for myself, I agree with Sherman when he said 'War is Hell' and have had enough, so you can look

for me to settle down when I get back to the good old U. S. A."

Well, Dad, I will close for this time wishing you and mother and all the rest a Merry Xmas and a Happy New Year, hoping next year that I will be able to pass them with you at home. Give my best regards to my friends and tell them all I would be glad to hear from them if they could spare the time to write a few lines, for the letters we receive from 'Over There' are the greatest pleasure we have here.

Yours truly, CLARENCE.

P. S. Try and answer this letter as soon as possible and I will try to keep up a correspondence with you as well as mother.

## TRYING TO TRAP YEGGMEN

(By Associated Press)

Boston, Dec. 21.—State and local police throughout eastern Massachusetts were active today in endeavoring to identify and apprehend the six bandits who yesterday robbed Frank R. Brown, Paymaster at the Everett Foundry of the General Electric Co. of \$12,000, in a bold daylight holdup. Brown who was shot and seriously wounded by one of the robbers was resting comfortably at the Massachusetts General Hospital and hope of his recovery was expressed by the physicians. The investigators were especially busy in Lawrence where men questioned by the police are said to have given information considered of great value, though none of them were released. How the number plate of the automobile used by the highwaymen got into their possession was the subject of particular inquiry in Lawrence. To prevent the escape of the robbers who were believed to be hiding in or about this city, a rigid watch was kept on all railroad stations, docks, trolley lines and automobile routes. It was expected that the city of Everett would post a reward for the apprehension of the bandits.

## CARD OF THANKS.

Just a word of thanks for those at Hotel Champernowne who helped in any way and for the rescue of my little son Francis, Thursday afternoon from drowning. Only quick action on the part of Mr. Farr and Mr. Barber saved his life. I thank each and every one that helped in any manner.

Sincerely,  
MRS. T. M. CUMMINGS,  
Kittery Point, Me.

## AT THE SIGN OF THE INDIAN

29 Congress St.  
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TOM C. LECKEY.

## FUNERAL NOTICE.

The funeral of Mrs. Ann Sarah Frink will be held from the Congregational church, Newington, Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Friends invited.—Adv.

## NAVY YARD NOTES

Transferred Here.

Ensign Edw. J. Burns, a detail officer in the First Naval District, has been assigned to duty at the naval prison.

Gets Away From Yard.

W. A. Smeed, a naval prisoner awaiting court martial on the U. S. S. receiving ship Southey, escaped from the yard on Friday evening. The guards were unable to find any trace of him.

Salem to Be Flagship.

Another repair job that will keep the men at the Charlestown Navy Yard employed for some time longer is the converting of the scout cruiser Salem into a flagship for the destroyer force. The Salem arrived at the yard yesterday afternoon, preceded by the Kentucky by a few minutes.

Where Will They Put Them?

The Shipbuilders' Protective Association composed of navy yard employees at Boston, have passed a resolution calling on Franklin D. Roosevelt, assistant Secretary of the Navy, to send more ships to the yard. The yard at present is crowded with all kinds of ships on the water front.

To Change Plans.

All shipbuilders working on destroyer contracts were in conference today with Secretary Daniels to discuss a new program. With the necessity for urgent haste in construction passed, he indicated his purpose to cancel contracts where work had not been started, so that keels laid from now on might be for craft designed in the light of war experience.

There was no intention, he said, of reducing the destroyer program, for which more than 200 contracts are outstanding. He explained, however, that he wanted to see what could be done toward reducing costs, instead of continuing on a war basis, and he went over with the builders the whole question of speed bonuses and forms of contract.

Daniels Sends Help.

In response to requests from Mayor Woodman, Bangor chamber of commerce and local manufacturers, Secretary Daniels has directed that naval craft be sent to break out the three miles of anchor ice in the Penobscot river between Bangor and Orrington to avert a threatened flood.

## CHOIR MEMBERS MAKE GIFT TO THE ORGANIST

Miss Connors Recipient of Tokens on Her Birthday.

Miss Anna Connors of South End, organist of St. Raphael's church, Kittery, was the victim of a genuine surprise on Friday evening when the members of the church choir gathered at her home for a rehearsal. It was her sixteenth birthday and the choir honored her in the presentation of a sterling silver toilet set, which was presented by Leo Flynn, Miss Connors

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was also the recipient of a pair of opera glasses the gift coming from Rev. James B. Rice, pastor of the church at Kittery. The guests were treated to an excellent musical program, besides choice refreshments served by the hostess, Miss Connors.

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## OWNER OF PLATES ON YEGGMAN'S CAR FOUND

Lawrence Police Have Clue to Robbers Connected With Bold Daylight Robbery.

Everett, Dec. 21.—Frank Rogers Brown, paymaster for the local plant of the General Electric Company, who was held up and robbed of approximately \$12,000, the company's weekly payroll, as told in Friday evening's Herald, was reported this morning to be resting comfortably at the Massachusetts General Hospital, where he was rushed immediately after the jobbery.

His name was placed upon the dangerous list when he arrived at the hospital and because of his weakened condition the surgeons deemed it inadvisable to probe for the bullet, which is imbedded in his chest.

The machine was equipped with the number plates originally issued by the Massachusetts Highway Commission to Fred A. Consoil, of 74 Union street, Lawrence, and though Consoil told the Lawrence police Friday that his car had been out of commission since Nov. 1, and that he did not miss them until the police of that city visited his place during the afternoon, the local officers placed much faith in the number plates eventually contributing largely to the solution of the mystery.

The automobile registration plate bore the number 63,737, which is listed as being assigned to Consoil. However, the car registered by Consoil was of different make and pattern than the one used by the robbers. Despite this fact, Chief of Police H. H. State Officer Smith, Asst. Dist. Atty. George S. Harvey of Malden and two other officers drove to Lawrence last night and at midnight were in conference at the Lawrence Police Headquarters with Consoil, who had been held by the authorities of that city, and with a half dozen other Lawrence Italians.

Fred Bailey, proprietor of a garage, who drove the local officers to Lawrence Friday night, told the driver of the mysterious black limousine five gallons of gasoline an hour before the robbery. He was able to furnish the most satisfactory description of the driver. Bailey describes the man as being about 35 years old, smooth face, clear complexion, about 5 feet 8 inches tall, wearing a light gray or green-gray overcoat. Mr. Bailey expressed the opinion that the man might be a Pole, but he later said that his complexion, in the early morning light, might well have been described as sallow.

It was learned that the Lawrence officers, after visiting the garage of Michael Aheuti in that city, where Consoil kept his machine, found that the latter had taken it away about Nov. 1. When the police began to question Consoil, the latter is said to have declared that he did not know that his number plates were missing.

Consoil, who is 33 years old, has been the proprietor of the Venetian Gardens at Salisbury Beach. The Lawrence police visited that place in the hope of finding some tangible clue. It is said they were unsuccessful although they made no secret of the fact that they were searching for men who might tally with the incomplete descriptions of the occupants of the bandits' car.

Patrolman Daniel W. Lynch of Division 15, Charlestown, who was the first to obtain the number of the mystery car, is positive that he has seen the driver of the car, which was proceeding along Alford street from Everett to Sullivan square at a high rate of speed, before.

Patrolman Lynch believes that he recognized the driver, who obviously did his utmost to avoid scrutiny of himself or the car by turning in behind a trolley car which temporarily halted him. The Boston patrolman volunteered the information that the

chauffeur of the limousine, who was apparently of foreign extraction, has frequented the vicinity of Boston hotels.

Before their departure for Lawrence Friday night Chief H. H. and Officer Smith received information that two number plates had been seen at low water lying in the mud on either side of the Mystic bridge.

## PERSONALS

E. P. Stoddard passed Friday in Boston.

Mrs. Arthur W. Horton passed Friday in Boston.

Landlord S. T. Newton is a victim of the grip.

Mrs. Charles M. Berry was in Boston on Friday.

Calvin Page Bartlett is home from Andover for the holiday vacation.

County treasurer Stewart E. Rowe of Exeter passed Friday in this city.

Miss Gladys Moseley has returned from a visit to her home in Bangor, Me.

Captain William J. Lawrence of the Salvation Army passed Friday in Boston on business.

Miss Inez Schurman of Pevely Hill road left Friday to pass the holiday season with friends in Syracuse, N.Y.

George Hatch of Newburyport, Mass., passed Thursday in this city as the guest of C. O. Whitley of Bennett street.

Mr. and Mrs. George A. Wood are restricted to their residence with an attack of the grip with a trained nurse on duty.

Miss Louise Blaisdell has arrived home from Northampton, Mass., where she is a student at the Durham Preparatory School.

Mrs. Frank Massey has returned from New York and is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George E. French of Allstate street.

George A. McPherson has returned from Louisville, Ky., having received his discharge from the officers' training camp at Camp Taylor.

Miss Louise and Ruth Seybolt, who are students at Simmons College, Boston, have arrived at their home in this city to pass the holiday.

Lieut. Wallace H. Garrett, who is attached to the supply department at Camp Upton, N. Y., is passing a furlough at his home in this city.

John Kenneally, who attends St. Aurelia's College, Manchester, is passing the holiday vacation at the home of his mother on Cheeknut street.

Miss Isadore Luce, daughter of Dr. Thomas W. Luce of Court street, arrives today from Washington, D. C., where she attends the Cathedral School and will pass the holiday season at her home.

Miss Roberta Pickering of the teaching staff of Chutey Chase School, Washington, D. C., arrives today to pass the holiday vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Edward Pickering of Rockland street.

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## HOSTESS HOUSE DISCONTINUED

At a meeting of the board of directors of the Girls' Patriotic League held on Thursday, it was decided to discontinue the John Paul Jones House as a hostess house and to again carry on the class work for League members at the house.

The directors feel the place has fulfilled its purpose as a hostess house for the enlisted men, as owing to the epidemic it was at that time thought right to give enlisted men an opportunity to come to the house and enjoy the living rooms and have the opportunity to read or write there when places of amusement and churches were closed, and there were few places for the men to go for sociability.

Later as the ban was off again church societies and various organizations extended hospitality to the men; dances were held for them, the Y. M. C. A. the Army and Navy Service Club arranged social affairs and the men in blue and khaki were well entertained.

While the John Paul Jones House was used as an officers' house the classes were not carried on and there are now to again be resumed. The cafeteria will continue to be run and any one may be served there, the home cooking being especially well liked by the patrons.

The changes on the building are fast nearing completion and in a few weeks the whole house will be open to the men.

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Mrs. Ann Sarah Frink died at her home in Newington this morning aged 91 years. She is survived by one son, Cyrus Frink and one daughter, Ruby, besides several grandchildren in Portsmouth and Newington.

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## New Currency and Silver For Christmas

The Secretary of the Treasury has requested all Banks not to furnish gold for Christmas Presents, so that the gold reserves of the Country may not be weakened, but we have a supply of new Currency and new Silver which we will be glad to furnish to our customers for this purpose.

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The funeral of Mrs. Arabelle A. Winn will be held from her late home on Union street Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Friends invited.—Adv.

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## OBITUARY

Mrs. Arabelle A. Winn.

Mrs. Arabelle A. Winn, widow of Benjamin F. Winn, died on Friday at her home, 336 Union street. She was born in Burlington, N. H., Aug. 10, 1847, and she leaves one brother, W. S. Locke, of Dorchester, and two sisters, Mrs. G. H. Bennett of this city and Mrs. E. E. Bailey of Dorchester.

Frederick W. Gentleman.

The sudden death of Frederick W. Gentleman, a brother of Charles Gentleman of this city, occurred on Thursday at his home, 91 Lakeview avenue, Cambridge, Mass., at the age of 35 years and was heard with regret by his former friends and associates in this city. He was a graduate of the Portsmouth high school, finishing his course with honors, and later entered Dartmouth College. He afterward filled important positions as an instructor in Massachusetts. He was a member of the Episcopal church and active in work of that denomination, and an upright, man, a kind friend and held in the highest esteem by his pupils and associates and all who had the pleasure of his acquaintance.

The funeral will be held this afternoon from his late home, 91 Lakeview avenue, Cambridge, Mass., at 2 o'clock. Friends invited.—Adv.

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The U. S. Public Health Service in conjunction with the Emergency Fleet Administration have arranged to show the first time in this state the moving picture film "Fit to Fight," which has been so extensively shown in all of the big camps and naval stations. It is in conjunction with the social hygiene and the picture will be shown on Sunday evening at the Portsmouth theatre and it will be for men only, and one 16 years of age. No children will be admitted under any consideration whether accompanied by parents or otherwise. The picture is being shown free of charge and there will be no collection.

In the afternoon the picture, "The

End of the Road," a problem play carefully censored and made under government supervision, will be shown to women over sixteen years of age. This will be in the same theatre and under the direction of the Public Health Service and it is in line with the work of the social hygiene that the United States Public Health Service is carrying on all over the country. Both of these pictures teach a lesson and they are well played and carefully handled.

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## P. N. S. SENIOR BENEFIT BIG SUCCESS

The Senior class of the High school held the benefit at Freeman's hall on Friday evening and there was a very large audience present. The galleries were crowded and the floor well filled. Following the concert program there was general dancing until midnight.

The concert was given by the Olivette Trio assisted by Dorothy Berry Carpenter, reader, and they gave a very pleasing and well balanced program, every number well rendered and the entire concert was well received. The members of the Trio are: Mary Cooper, violin; Gladys A. Berry, cello; and Olive C. Davis, piano. The concert program:

Adagio from C Minor Trio. . . . . Foote

Olivette Trio.

Long Live the King. . . . . Blighart

Miss Carpenter.

Through Fire and Water. . . . . Lincoln

Miss Carpenter.

Chanson Napolitaine. . . . . Casella

Miss Berry.

A Model Letter. . . . . Booth-Tarkington

Miss Carpenter.

Intermezzo. . . . . Madi

At the Brook. . . . . Balafouto

Lebensfreude. . . . . Kreisler

Trio.

The floor was immediately cleared for dancing after the concert and Whitman's orchestra furnished the music. It was distinctly a young people's party and a very pretty affair. The evening dresses of the young ladies giving a color effect to the moving throng of dancers that was very pretty.

The patrons and patronesses were: Sopt. and Mrs. William H. Shayton; Principal and Mrs. Lee T. Gray and Instructor and Mrs. J. S. Cushing.

The officers of the class are: President, Henry Margeson; vice president, Miss Dorothy Rundlett; treasurer, Benjamin Lizio; secretary, Miss Louise Butler.

The benefit committee were: Misses Louise Butler, Dorothy Rundlett, and Agnes Woodway, Benjamin Lizio, Henry Margeson and Thomas Laughlin.

The dance orders were very neat and they were from the High school painting office, conducted by the scholars.

The Christmas Red Cross enrollment is beginning to drag some and with only three more days this city will have to move much faster to get a fifty per cent enrollment. The Red Cross Hut on Market square did good business on Friday and there are booths in both of the theatres, all of which did good work.

There is need for lady workers in

the but today and Monday and it is hoped that many can spare an hour at a time for this work. The Women's committee have not finished the residential section as yet. The first time over, there were so many people out, and they will get back if possible, but every person who has not should do so today. This may be done at the Red Cross but where they will receive the button and the window banner, and everybody should show their colors. If your house is one of a few that is not displaying the banner, get one and then see that your neighbor does likewise. This is the time for every loyal American to lend his aid to the Red Cross so that they may carry on the great work still before it. It costs but a dollar and requires but the heart.

The Navy Yard has enrolled about two thousand and they are seeking to get another thousand in the next two days. At the Atlantic shipyard Employment Manager, Daventon, who has charge of the enrollment, is striving for a hundred per cent and he will come pretty near getting it.

At the Shattuck yard the drive is going along well and here there is an effort to make it a hundred per cent and they are well on the road to it now.

## LODGE SAYS FORM THE LEAGUE LATER

Washington, Dec. 21.—Senator Lodge of Massachusetts, the Republican leader, in an address to the Senate Friday, advocated postponement of the formation of a league of nations until after the peace conference. He said the question should be considered separately and later.

Senator Lodge spoke in advance of a prepared address which he expects to deliver today because of a reference in an Associated Press dispatch, from Paris to the reading by President Wilson of 21 points of peace which it was said the senator had presented in the Senate in a speech.

The 21 points, Senator Lodge explained, were contained in a petition from 16 patriotic organizations, which he recently presented to the Senate and which he declared did not represent his personal views.

"I have not outlined 21 points or any other number," he said. "The press dispatches no doubt misrepresent the President and utterly misrepresent me."

Senator Lodge said he understood a correspondent of some New York newspaper had carried abroad the 21 points had been put forth by him.

"That is a pure misrepresentation," he added. "It is an illustration of the inaccuracy to use no harsher words—of the reports we receive from Paris and that Paris receives from us. No responsible press association has any right to misrepresent facts in this great debate that now is going on."

## NOTED BASEBALL UMPIRE IS DEAD

Boston, Dec. 21.—Francis "Suk" O'Loughlin, famous as an American League umpire, died at his apartment here Friday after a short illness of influenza and pneumonia.

O'Loughlin had umpired for the American League since its organization and had long been rated as one of the picturesque figures in the baseball world. His "ball talk" his long drawn out "s-t-r-i-k-e" and snappy "foul'd er" are known the country over. These and a series of other exclamations accompanied by gestures to indicate a player as safe or out at base were peculiar to O'Loughlin. The rules committee of the game passed up the gesture idea when many baseball followers were urging the adoption of a uniform system of making clear the decisions of the umpire, but O'Loughlin continued his methods with improvements.

## OBSEQUIES

John Frank Rowe.

The body of John Frank Rowe was brought here on Friday and taken to Newington for interment in the family lot. The committal service at the grave was held by Rev. J. H. Gould and the bearers were: L. W. Ellsberry, James Frank, Charles Frank and O'Loughlin. Undertaker J. Verne Wood was funeral director.

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## MINSTREL SHOW HAS SECOND BIG AUDIENCE

The second performance of the mixed minstrel show by the employees of the navy yard was held on Friday evening and there was a large audience present and they were greatly pleased with the entire show.

The performance went a little smoother the second night and things went with more of a snap and it was not so late for the final curtain. Taken as a whole it was a splendid show, a little long, but that is always the besetting sin of every amateur performance, a desire to give more for the money.

The members of the company, in fact everybody who had anything to do with it, may well feel proud of their work. They have made a start and it is hoped that these will be annual affairs, for with the size of the workmen's force there is a big bunch of talent, some of which has not yet been discovered.

One of the features of the performance was the finale with its representation of the warriors of the various years of the nation, which was well arranged.

Leaving an entertainment at Lawrence, a man and his wife and their 17-year old son found that the trolley cars had stopped running. Father and mother walked home, a distance of about a mile. Soon after they had retired the doorbell rang and they found young hopeful outside asking for \$2 to pay the taxi driver waiting at the gate.

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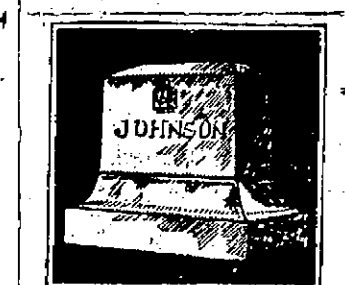
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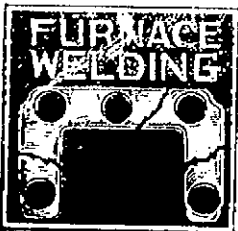
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## MAINE OFFICER KILLED AT CAMP MILLS

Camp Mills, Dec. 20.—Lieut. Clarence Macomber of New Sharon, Me., an army medical officer, detailed to the flying field at Minot, was instantly killed when a pair of mules ran away and drove him into an army ambulance in which he was riding. He was thrown from the seat and broke his neck on the pole.

## TO RETAIN NEW NAVAL STATIONS

Portland, Dec. 20.—Naval section bases established during the war at Providence, Portland and Rockland, will be permanently retained, said Rear Admiral Wood, the commandant of the first district, all others will be abandoned. No orders have been received in regard to the flying station at Chatham, but it is anticipated that this will be also retained and that the naval radio station at Fort Harker, said to be the best receiving station on the coast, will be retained.

## FALL AND WINTER TIME-TABLE 1918-1919

**Portsmouth, Dover and York Street Railway.**

**Portsmouth**  
For Eliot, Dover and South Berwick—6.55 a. m. and every hour until 9.55 p. m. Sunday first trip 7.55 a. m.  
For Kittery and Kittery Point—6.25 a. m. and every half hour until 10.55 p. m. Sunday first trip 7.55 a. m.  
For York Village, York Harbor and York Beach via Rosemary—6.55, 8.55 a. m. and every two hours until 8.55 p. m. Sunday first trip 8.55 a. m.

**Dover**  
For Portsmouth, Eliot and Kittery—6.05, 7.05 a. m. and every hour until 10.05 p. m. Sunday first trip 8.05 a. m.  
For South Berwick, Salmon Falls Bridge—6.30 a. m. and every hour until 10.30 p. m. Sunday first trip 8.30 a. m.  
For York Village, York Harbor and York Beach—6.05, 7.05, 8.05 a. m. and every two hours until 9.05 p. m. Sunday first trip 9.05 a. m.

**South Berwick**  
For Dover, Eliot, Portsmouth and Kittery—6.00 a. m. and every hour until 10.00 p. m.; 11.00 p. m. to South Berwick Junction only. Sunday first trip 8.00 a. m.

**York Beach**  
For York Village, York Harbor and York Beach—6.00 a. m., 7.00 a. m., 9.00 a. m. and every two hours until 9.00 p. m. Sunday first trip 9.00 a. m.

**Kittery**  
Leave Sea Point for Portsmouth—6.30, 7.00 a. m. and every half hour until 10.30 p. m. Sunday first trip 7.30 a. m.

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## CLEMENCEAU READY FOR WORLD LEAGUE

Paris, Dec. 20.—Baron D'Estournelles de Constant today gave The Associated Press the French plan for bringing about a Society of Nations which the Baron and Senator Leon Bourgeois, formerly French Premier, presented to Premier Clemenceau several days ago.

The French Premier gave assurances that the principle of a Society of Nations would be inserted at the head of the French program before the peace congress.

The Baron and M. Bourgeois were French delegates at both peace conferences at The Hague and are the French members of the Permanent International Court at The Hague. They said they presented their plans to Premier Clemenceau with some apprehension as he had not yet declared himself in favor of a league.

They first handed the Premier a letter, which said in part:

"We are convinced that a durable peace can be assured only in substituting for a reign of force that of organized right. It is the object of our association to aid in the constitution of a society, first of part, and then of all the Nations. This society should, according to the recent declaration of President Wilson, be a most essential part in securing the maintenance of peace."

## MISSING FOR SEVERAL DAYS

Concord, Dec. 21.—John J. Trenoweth was found dead at 83 Franklin street Friday night, where he had lived alone since the death of his wife some months ago. He was last seen Sunday night when he spent the evening with some friends.

Trenoweth was employed in the railroad yard, and his boss not having seen him for several days called at the house Friday night to inquire the cause. He was unable to obtain an entrance and notified the police. Deputy Marshal Victor I. Moore forced his way into the house and found Trenoweth dead. The medical referee was called and pronounced the cause as asphyxiation. Trenoweth leaves a son, Harold Trenoweth of Manchester.

## EXETER

Exeter, Dec. 21.—Miss Marlin H. Locke, 27 years of age, teacher of Latin in the Robinson seminary died Thursday afternoon. She was a native of Somerville, Mass., having been born there Feb. 26, 1891, a daughter of Warren B. and Ella M. (Heath) Locke. She was graduated from the Robinson seminary with the class of 1910 and from Wellesley college in 1915, coming here as a member of the seminary faculty in September of the same year. The funeral services will be held Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the home of Principal Harlan M. Blaisie.

The body of Thomas Nagle, son of John Nagle of Exeter was brought from Charlestown, Mass., this afternoon for burial here.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy R. Shrewsbury will occupy the DeMerritt house which is to be vacated by Mr. and Mrs. Norman S. McConderick. Mr. and Mrs. Shrewsbury were married last week in Concord, Mass. He is instructor in music at the academy.

Christmas services will be held at all of the churches Sunday morning. The community Christmas tree will be brilliantly lighted during the Christmas tide, and will remain in the square till after New Years. There will be no singing by the children this year owing to the prevailing illness with influenza.

It has been suggested that a memorial committee be appointed at the next town meeting to arrange for a lasting memorial for the soldiers. The town schools and the Robinson seminary closed the fall term Friday.

The marriage of John H. Hilliard, son of Mr. and Mrs. George W. Hilliard, to Miss Maude M. Kirkbright of Nashua, took place today at her home in that city.

Frank Welch of the aero squadron at Fort Worth, Texas, is at his home here for a furlough of 15 days.

## DOVER

Dover, Dec. 21.—A mass meeting under the auspices of the Friends of Irish Freedom will be held in the Dover opera house next Sunday evening. Prominent out of town speakers have been engaged to address the meeting, and some of Dover's orators will also be heard. A short but interesting musical program will be given.

The citizens of Dover were greatly shocked to learn that Fred D. Frary, senior member of the firm of Littlefield and Frary was dead. Mr. Frary was at his place of business, as usual, on Wednesday and was taken suddenly and seriously ill in the night. He continued to fall until death came Thursday afternoon.

Mr. Frary was born in Whitefield, Mass., on Feb. 12, 1857. He was a member of St. Paul's lodge, A. F. and A.

M. Boksaup chapter, Royal Arch Masons; Orphan council Royal and Select Masters; and St. Paul's commandery, K. T.

## IS OPPOSED TO SOCIAL DEMOCRACY

(By Associated Press)  
Copenhagen Dec. 20.—Dr. H. Gustav Etresmann, leader of the National Liberal party in Germany, has announced that the German People's Party in which he has been active since the revolution, is absolutely opposed to a social democracy and will fight the socialist rulers according to Berlin newspapers received here. The Center party has been summoned to a conference at Frankfurt on Dec. 30th.

## FRENCH HAVE PAID BIG PRICE

(By Associated Press)  
Paris, Dec. 20.—French soldiers to the number of 1,000,000 were killed in action during the war, according to the statement of a Socialist member of the Chamber of Deputies today.

## RAILROAD NOTES

The Boston and Maine trainmen at Dover took a fall out of the Victory Five at the Arcade alleys in that city on Friday night in a final score of 1285 to 1200. King was high man for the trainmen with 298. May of the trainmen also featured in the win. The brakies have a new manager in James Loughlin and are now producing some pep in their candlepin work. Manager Loughlin says the pep must continue as he intends to go after bigger game in Portsmouth, Dover and other places. He will stand for no alibis or canons flaying among his bowlers and has several fast bowlers who are anxious to make the team. Under his management the team has got to deliver the goods. He objects to any side being made by individual members on the results of any contest and that his team shall take up no other line of sport while contesting in bowling circles.

Officer Small of the B. & M. police force was here on Friday in connection with the case of a man arrested here for displaying a gun on train 71 on Thursday night.

The B. & M. has issued orders to engineers who are directed to use one minute and twenty seconds in crossing Newburyport bridge, east and west. Fifty trainmen employed by the Springfield, Mass., Street Railway Co. have made good their threat to strike to enforce the granting of a pay increase they allege was promised. Action by the trolley men's union toward sympathetic support will depend on developments, according to the union's business agent. The company was not prepared to discuss its course.

## RYE

Congregational Church  
Christmas services both morning and afternoon, Morning at 10.15. The pastor preaches on "The Glory that belongs to God and the Peace that belongs to Men of Good Will." A chorus choir will render Christmas music assisted by Mr. Percy Moulton, tenor soloist, and Mr. Wm. Guphill, violinist. Christmas concert in the afternoon at 6.30 when a special offering will be taken for the work of the American Board of Missions.

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LOST—Between Barbary Lane and Main Street, Wednesday evening, Dec. 18, a fur cloth robe, black lining, with Chase trade mark. Finder please return to Otis Gleason, Ocean Road, Greenland, N. H. hc 1w d20

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STATIONERY, LEATHER GOODS, BOOKS,  
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**CODE TELEGRAMS  
NOW PERMITTED**

Telegrams in plain language instead of code were revoked by the Government Censorship Board.

Mr. and Mrs. Newby, Baby will want a Christmas tree. Join the Christmas Club.—Adv.

## HAVE YOU ANSWERED THE RED CROSS ROLL CALL? ALL YOU NEED IS THE HEART AND A DOLLAR

If you have not been called upon by the solicitors enroll at the Red Cross Hut on Market Square.

Do your part to make it a universal membership.

## JOIN JOIN JOIN

## Christmas Suggestions

Pianos and Player Pianos  
 Victrolas, Columbians  
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Waterman's Ideal Fountain Pens  
 Parisian Ivory Toilet Sets  
 Eaton, Crane and Pike Stationery  
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115 Congress Street. Portsmouth, N. H.  
 Open Every Evening.

## COMMITTEE ON CHARTER BEGIN WORK

Want People's Views and that of Legislative Delegation.

Every member of the non-partisan committee appointed by Mayor Ladd in the matter of any changes in the city charter met on Friday evening at City Hall. Although no vote was taken in the matter of changes in the charter, the committee were busy during the entire session. It was agreed that each member study the charter and submit any recommendation at the next meeting to be held on Monday, Dec. 30.

It is the opinion of the committee that the citizens should be heard in the matter and they are asked to submit any views they may have in writing to the committee.

The committee thought that the numbers elected to the legislature should also be heard and they will be called later in a joint meeting with the committee to present their ideas.

The matter of holding the election every two years was discussed, also the system in which the council is elected. The committee hopes that every voter who has any suggestion will be heard from as nothing will be done until the people in general have something to say and the legislative delegation is heard from.

Samuel W. Emery was elected secretary of the committee.

## JOIN AT THE RED CROSS BOOTH

At the Red Cross booth in front of the Athenaeum business was lively this forenoon and a good number of subscriptions were taken. Miss Georgine Niles was in charge this forenoon, and the collectors were Misses Ruth Foxhall, Ignorance Lane, Beatrice Blake and Louise Blaisdell. Robert Marvin stood in front of the hut and with a mallet sounded a big gong as people passed and asked the question, "Have you joined the Red Cross for the New Year?" A great many people smilingly displayed their button and passed on; others who had not joined stopped and renewed their subscriptions.

Don't be a Red Cross slacker but feel proud to renew your membership in this wonderful organization. All you need is "A heart and a dollar."

## THE HERALD HEARS

That the Red Cross drive must go some today to meet the quota.

That small boys brought in by the police today caused much damage in stripping boats of sitting on Murphy's Island.

That only three candidates were excluded for admission to the bar at the last exam. In this state.

That they were Robert J. Doyle and S. Fical of Nashua, and Frank Blais of West Stewartstown.

That Doyle and Blais have already begun their practice.

That all the Dover boys at Fort Constitution have been mustered out.

That they were members of the 20 Truck Company of the 60th Ammunition train.

That they gave a farewell banquet before leaving the port.

That Portsmouth banks paid out more for Christmas savings this year than ever before.

That the final figures of receipts of the Organized Charities ball are not yet known.

## STACEY BROTHERS GET OFF WITH FINE

Court Lenient When Father Appeals for His Sons.

Earl and Harold Stacey, brothers arrested from a passenger train at the depot on Monday night, appeared in the police court at Chelsea on Friday. On the charge of carrying loaded revolvers on a train they were fined \$50 each and \$10 costs for creating a disturbance on a public conveyance. The father of the young men was in court and on his appeal to the judge the fine of \$50 was suspended during good behavior.

## ANOTHER MAN OUT FOR CITY CLERK

McGraw Enters the Fight; Dunn for Health Inspector.

Bernard J. McGraw, a former clerk at the Portsmouth Brewing Co., is another candidate for city clerk and says he is in the fight till the inauguration ceremonies are over on Jan. 1. Collector Pigo wants to succeed himself for another term in the tax office, and his desires have been made known to all the council-elect.

John W. Dunn of Ward 6, a party worker for several years, would like to succeed Charles F. Hurley as health inspector. So far Dunn is the only one to cast an eye toward the health de-

partment and the new city council know what he wants when the Democrats are elected from city hall.

The candidates for auditor are not generally known up to date, and if any one has been picked his friends in the council-elect are not saying much about it.

## LOCAL DASHES

More local combinations are in order. The streets are thronged with shop-

pers.

New workmen are arriving here daily.

Things are now rushing at the Atlantic.

Say can you find any fault with this weather?

Leave your order for Xmas Trees at Pearson's.—Adv.

The Portsmouth college boys and girls are home.

P. A. C. Carnival Jan. 1-2-3, Freeman's Hall.—Adv.

h 12 d20

Portsmouth has the finest climate in the world.

S-3 went over at the navy yard all night today.

The Eight Jazzers, Freeman's hall tonight.—Adv.

Free movies at the Portsmouth Theatre Sunday.

Margeson Bros. Upholsterers of antique and modern furniture.—Adv.

Doctor Hills are heartiest in Winter. Join the Christmas Club.—Adv.

Whitman's orchestra, Freeman's hall, Christmas night.—Adv.

Get your bright-eyed Ash at the Portsmouth Fish Co. Broughton's Wharf, J. F. Lamb.—Adv.

Christmas and broken candy, candy canes. Home made goods at the Dore Store.—Adv.

Robbers and fresh fish of all kinds caught by our own boats, fresh every day. E. Jamieson & Sons. Tel. 344.—Adv.

Xmas Tree Trimmings of all kinds at Pearson's.—Adv.

Hogs taken away and dressed. Send postal, James Carlin, Newington, N. H.—Adv.

h d2, 1m

You Should Worry about the Income Tax. Join the Christmas Club.—Adv.

Holiday chocolates and napkins in fancy boxes at the Dore Store.—Adv.

Monuments and gravestones. J. H. Dewey Co., 55 Market Street.—Adv.

Christmas packages in great variety at the Jarvis Store.—Adv.

"Fathers' Day" letters are now arriving from "Our Boys Serving Under the Stars and Stripes."

If you wish to buy or sell anything in the real estate line, call telephone, or write the H. I. Caswell Agency, 9 Congress St.

Bring the children down to Pearson's to see Santa Claus; he is a jolly big fellow.—Adv.

A set of military brushes is always an appropriate gift. See our fine before buying. Adams' Drug Store.—Adv.

We cater for churches, Sunday schools, and holiday gatherings of all kinds. Our candles are home made and always reliable. Parra Bros.—Adv.

h 4 d18

Christmas stock of candy is limited. Better order early for Sunday schools, church gatherings, etc. Jarvis Candy Store.—Adv.

The local merchants will be rushed to the limit today with Christmas shoppers, the ideal December weather making it easy for people to get out.

We have a large variety of Christmas sweets in appropriate packages. Also broken candy etc. See our line. Parra Bros.—Adv.

h 4 d18

The churches observe Christmas Sunday tomorrow and large congregations are assured. The Catholic and Episcopal churches will observe Christmas day with the usual impressive services.

The famous Parra made candles in Christmas boxes, our own manufacture. Parra Bros., confectioners.—Adv.

A large variety of Christmas candy in appropriate forms for gifts at Parra Bros.—Adv.

## NOTICE

The Committee on Revision of the City Charter desire that all citizens interested will make it a personal matter to submit in writing suggestions to the Committee on the Revision of the Charter. These suggestions should be mailed to Hon. Samuel T. Ladd, Chairman, and will be by him distributed to the committee members. This is done in order that every citizen may have an opportunity to present his views and that these views may have every consideration.

Dated Dec. 21, 1918.

SAMUEL W. EMERY, Secretary.

## NOTICE

Portsmouth Bus Line.

On and after December 21, 1918 patrons of the Portsmouth Bus Line for Atlantic, Newington, New Castle must have tickets as payment for passage. Drivers will not be allowed to handle cash fares or sell tickets.

Tickets good between Portsmouth, Atlantic and Newington, Shattuck Ship Yard, Inc., on sale at Allison's Drug Store, Portsmouth.

Tickets good between Portsmouth and New Castle on sale at W. D. Grace's Drug Store, Portsmouth, and Postoffice, New Castle.—Adv.

Xmas Post-Cards 3 for 50 at Pearson's.—Adv.

## C. E. ROGERS WOUNDED IN ACTION

Harry Rogers of Gardner street received a letter on Thursday from his brother, Charles E. Rogers of this city stating that he was in a hospital in France, having received wounds in the arm in action. The young man was in the last of the fighting before the armistice was signed. In the battle of Argonne he was in the thick of the fight and for four days and nights had almost no sleep and very little food. He was drafted last April from Concord, where he was employed as an attendant in the hospital and was serving in France in the infantry.

## JOHN D. CONNELLY INJURED IN ACTION

John D. Connelly of 33 Cottage street, this city, is among those listed in the latest official army casualty list his name appearing among the wounded listed under "Degree Undetermined."

The young man was employed at the Morley Button Factory and entered the service last May.

## RED MEN'S NOTICE

Regular meeting of Massasoit Tribe, No. 16, Red Men, will be held Monday evening, Dec. 23, at 8 o'clock, at Pythian hall, Freeman's block, Congress street. All sojourning Red Men on Navy Yard and shipyards cordially invited.

J. FRED HARRISON, Sec.

## FUNERAL NOTICE

The funeral of James Henry Amazeen will be held from the Court Street Christian Church, Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Friends invited.—Adv.

## ANNOUNCE ENGAGEMENT

Mr. and Mrs. Linson H. DeVos of Chelmsford, Mass., announce the engagement of their daughter Gladys, to Mr. Newell Victor Bartlett, U. S. N. Lt. P., of South Lynnfield, Mass. Mr. Bartlett is a radio operator on the S. S. Connersville.

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Our corset service guarantees you a perfect fit.  
 Dainty Silk Underwear.  
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 Silk Skirts.  
 Open evenings till Christmas.

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 Phone 1027R Portsmouth, N. H.

## NORTH RYE Summer Store Property FOR SALE

The Sargent store with two tenements overhead that would rent for \$300. The store has always paid well and would make an excellent investment for a man and wife.

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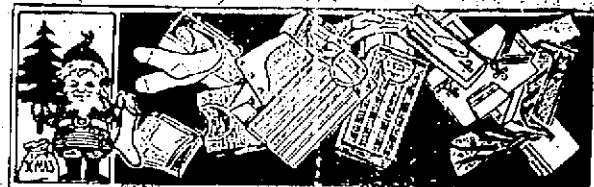
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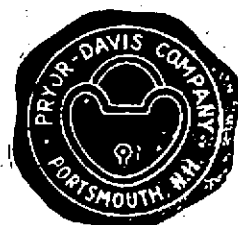


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## RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts.....\$1,433,504.18  
 United States Bonds.....1,300,650.00  
 Banking House and Fixtures.....41,735.90  
 Cash and due from banks.....474,332.15

\$3,250,226.21

## LIABILITIES.

Capital.....\$1,500,000.00  
 Surplus and Profits.....111,984.32  
 Circulation.....149,500.00  
 Federal Reserve Bank.....350,000.00  
 Deposits.....2,488,661.88

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